UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

VINCENT LEE, CARMEL LEE, AND ALTARIK JOHNSON

Plaintiffs,

Honorable Madeline Cox Arleo

v.

Civil Action No. 06-4816 (SDW)

PUBLIC SERVICE ELECTRIC & GAS CO., INC., ET AL.

Defendants.

REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

THIS MATTER having come before the Court upon the motion of plaintiffs to remand upon notice to defendants, and the Court having considered the briefs and affidavits in support of and in opposition to the motion and having heard the argument of counsel, and for the reasons set forth on

the record on January 10, 2007, and for good cause shown;

IT IS on this 12th day of January 2007,

RECOMMENDED THAT plaintiff's motion to amend be **GRANTED** and plaintiff's application for costs and fees be **DENIED**.

The parties have ten (10) days from the date hereof to file objections.

s/Madeline Cox Arleo

MADELINE COX ARLEO United States Magistrate Judge

cc: Hon. Susan D. Wigenton, U.S.D.J.

All Parties

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